

**Specification amendments:**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 4, line 14 with the following rewritten paragraph:

This transduction pathway is involved in numerous cellular functions: regulation of apoptosis, control of transcription and translation, glucose metabolism, angiogenesis and mitochondrial integrity. First identified as an important component of insulin-dependent signaling pathways regulating metabolic responses, serine/threonine kinase AKT was then identified as a mediator playing a key role in survival induced with growth factors. It has been shown that AKT can inhibit death by apoptosis induced by various stimuli, in a certain number of cell types and tumor cells. In accordance with these findings, it has been shown that AKT can, by phosphorylation of given serine residues, inactivate BAD, GSK3 $\beta$ , caspase-9, and Forkhead transcription factor, and can activate IKK $\alpha$  and e-NOS. It is interesting to note that the protein BAD is found hyper-phosphorylated in 11 human tumor cell lines out of 41 studied. Furthermore, it has been shown that hypoxia modulates the induction of VEGF in cells transformed with Ha-ras by activating the PI3K/AKT pathway and by involving the binding sequence of the HIF-1 (hypoxia inducible factor-1) transcription factor known as HRE for "hypoxo-responsive element".

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 7, line 24 with the following rewritten paragraph:

b) when p is 0, R and R1 are oxygen, A1 is single bond or alkyl, Y and Y1, which may be identical or different, are at least one is -OCF<sub>3</sub>, -SO-Alk, -S(O)<sub>2</sub>-alk or -SO<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>, A2 is CH<sub>2</sub> and B2 is an optionally substituted heterocyclyl, then R2 and R3 are not one hydrogen and the other alkyl optionally interrupted with O, S or N-alk; always substituted with a hydroxamate (-CO-NHOH);

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 15, line 25 with the following rewritten paragraph:

b) when p is 0, R and R1 are oxygen, A1 is a single bond or alkyl, Y and Y1, which may be identical or different, are at least one is -OCF<sub>3</sub>, -SO-Alk, -S(O)<sub>2</sub>-alk or -SO<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>, A2 is CH<sub>2</sub> and B2 is an optionally substituted heterocyclyl, then R2 and R3 are not one hydrogen and the other alkyl optionally interrupted with O, S or N-alk; always substituted with a hydroxamate (-CO-NHOH);

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 17, line 31, continuing on page 18, with the following rewritten paragraph:

b) when p is 0, R and R1 are oxygen, A1 is a single bond or alkyl, Y and Y1, which may be identical or different, are at least one is -OCF<sub>3</sub>, -SO-Alk, -S(O)<sub>2</sub>-alk or -SO<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>, A2 is CH<sub>2</sub> and B2 is an optionally substituted heterocyclyl, then R2 and R3 are not one hydrogen and the other alkyl optionally interrupted with O, S or N-alk; always substituted with a hydroxamate (-CO-NHOH);

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 18, line 30, continuing on page 19, with the following rewritten paragraph:

b) when p is 0, R and R1 are oxygen, A1 is single bond or alkyl, Y and Y1, which may be identical or different, are at least one is -OCF<sub>3</sub>, -SO-Alk, -S(O)<sub>2</sub>-alk or -SO<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>, A2 is CH<sub>2</sub> and B2 is an optionally substituted heterocyclyl, then R2 and R3 are not one hydrogen and the other alkyl optionally interrupted with O, S or N-alk; always substituted with a hydroxamate (-CO-NHOH); or

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 19, line 17, with the following rewritten paragraph:

b) when p is 0, R and R1 are oxygen, A1 is single bond or alkyl, Y and Y1, which may be identical or different, are at least one is -OCF<sub>3</sub>, -SO-Alk, -S(O)<sub>2</sub>-alk or -SO<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>, A2 is CH<sub>2</sub> and B2 is an optionally substituted heterocyclyl, then R2 and R3 are not one hydrogen and the other alkyl optionally interrupted with O, S or N-alk; always substituted with a hydroxamate (-CO-NHOH); or

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 19, line 32, continuing on page 20, with the following rewritten paragraph:

a) when p is 0, R and R1 are oxygen, A1 is single bond or alkyl, Y and Y1, which may be identical or different, are at least one is -OCF<sub>3</sub>, -SO-Alk, -S(O)<sub>2</sub>-alk or -SO<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>, A2 is CH<sub>2</sub> and B2 is an optionally substituted heterocyclyl, then R2 and R3 are not one hydrogen and the other alkyl optionally interrupted with O, S or N-alk; always substituted with a hydroxamate (-CO-NHOH); or

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 25, line 8, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A further particular embodiment according to the invention is where R5 and R6 represent ~~may be~~ pyridyl, pyrazinyl, pyrimidinyl, thienyl, thiazolyl and oxazolyl, which are all optionally substituted.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 46, line 10, with the following rewritten paragraph:

As regards the products of formula (V), the term "Hal" preferably denotes a chlorine atom, but may also denote ~~are~~ a bromine or iodine atom.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 94, line 1, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A solution of 7.08 g of 4-trifluoromethoxyaniline in 50 ml of toluene is added over 15 minutes to a suspension of 8.7 g of diphosgene and 1 g of plant charcoal in 100 ml of toluene, at a temperature in the region of -20°C. The mixture is stirred until the temperature is in the region of 20°C, and then refluxed for 3 hours. The mixture is cooled to a temperature in the region of 20°C and then filtered through Celite, 5 g of methyl  $\alpha$ -aminoisobutyrate hydrochloride, 50 ml of toluene and 10 ml of triethylamine are added to the filtrate. The mixture thus obtained is refluxed for 16 hours and then cooled to a temperature in the region of 20°C. The precipitate is filtered off and the filtrate is concentrated under reduced pressure, the residue obtained is purified by flash chromatography on a column packed with silica, conditioned and then eluted with a cyclohexane/ethyl acetate mixture (50/50, v/v). The fractions containing the expected product are concentrated under reduced pressure, and 3.4 g of 5,5-dimethyl-3-(4-trifluoromethoxyphenyl)imidazolidine-2,4-dione are thus obtained, the characteristics of which are as follows:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 164, line 21, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}-d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.44 (s: 6H); 4.67 (s: 2H); 7.50 (broad d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H); 7.54 (broad d, J = 9 Hz: 2H); 7.61 (broad s: 1H); 7.66 (broad d, J = 9 Hz: 2H); 8.40 (d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 165, line 12, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}-d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.32 (t, J = 7 Hz: 3H); 1.42 (s: 6H); 4.30 (q, J = 7 Hz: 2H); 4.58 (broad s: 2H); 6.85 (broad s: 1H); 7.01 (broad d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H); 7.52 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 7.63 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 8.10 (d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 166, line 3, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (400 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$   $d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.27 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz: 3H); 1.44 (s: 6H); 2.75 (q,  $J = 7.5$  Hz: 2H); 4.54 (s: 2H); 7.10 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.15 (broad s: 1H); 7.39 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.49 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.26 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 166, line 28, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$   $d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.44 (s: 6H); 4.67 (broad s: 2H); 7.49 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.61 (broad s: 1H); 7.70 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.88 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.38 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 167, line 8, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$   $d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.44 (s: 6H); 7.62 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.85 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.72 (unresolved complex: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 168, line 3, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$   $d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.32 (t,  $J = 7$  Hz: 3H); 1.42 (s: 6H); 4.30 (q,  $J = 7$  Hz: 2H); 4.58 (broad s: 2H); 6.86 (broad s: 1H); 7.01 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.69 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.88 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.10 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 168, line 30, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (400 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$   $d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.23 (t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz: 3H); 1.42 (s: 6H); 2.75 (q,  $J = 7.5$  Hz: 2H); 4.62 (broad s: 2H); 7.25 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.30 (broad s: 1H); 7.70 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.88 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.43 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 169, line 23, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.44 (s: 6H); 4.67 (broad s: 2H); 7.52 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.54 (broad d,  $J = 9$  Hz: 2H); 7.66 (broad d,  $J = 9$  Hz: 2H); 7.75 (broad s: 1H); 8.37 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 170, line 17, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.45 (s: 6H); 4.72 (broad s: 2H); 7.29 (broad s: 1H); 7.43 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.71 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.89 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.23 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 171, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.44 (s: 6H); 4.74 (broad s: 2H); 7.72 (broad d,  $J = 9$  Hz: 2H); 7.81 (dd,  $J = 5.5$  and 2 Hz: 1H); 7.89 (broad d,  $J = 9$  Hz: 2H); 8.15 (broad s: 1H); 8.72 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 171, line 32, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.45 (s: 6H); 4.76 (broad s: 2H); 7.70 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.72 (mt: 1H); 7.89 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.12 (broad s: 1H); 8.68 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 172, line 22, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.44 (s: 6H); 2.85 (d,  $J = 5$  Hz: 3H); 4.76 (broad s: 2H); 7.67 (dd,  $J = 5$  and 2 Hz: 1H); 7.70 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.89 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.10 (broad s: 1H); 8.60 (d,  $J = 5$  Hz: 1H); 8.75 (broad q,  $J = 5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 173, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.44 (s: 6H); 4.76 (broad s: 2H); from 7.60 to 7.70 (mt: 2H); 7.71 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.89 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.11 (broad s: 2H); 8.60 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 174, line 4, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.42 (s: 6H); 3.44 (broad t,  $J = 5$  Hz: 4H); 3.72 (broad t,  $J = 5$  Hz: 4H); 4.53 (broad s: 2H); 6.75 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 6.85 (broad s: 1H); 7.54 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.64 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.10 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 174, line 29, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.42 (s: 6H); 3.45 (broad t,  $J = 5$  Hz: 4H); 3.71 (broad t,  $J = 5$  Hz: 4H); 4.54 (broad s: 2H); 6.75 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 6.84 (broad s: 1H); 7.68 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.88 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.09 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 175, line 15, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.42 (s: 6H); 3.03 (s: 6H); 4.53 (broad s: 2H); 6.62 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 6.65 (broad s: 1H); 7.68 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.87 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.03 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 176, line 8, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.42 (s: 6H); 2.77 (d,  $J = 5$  Hz: 3H); 4.48 (broad s: 2H); 6.42 (mt: 1H); 6.46 (broad s: 1H); 6.52 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.69 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.89 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.94 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 177, line 3, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (400 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): from 1.10 to 1.40 (mt: 5H); 1.43 (s: 6H); from 1.55 to 2.00 (mt: 5H); 3.67 (mt: 1H); 4.45 (s: 2H); 6.28 (d,  $J = 8$  Hz: 1H); 6.44 (broad s: 1H); 6.46 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.68 (broad d,  $J = 9$  Hz: 2H); from 7.85 to 7.95 (mt: 3H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 177, line 32, continuing on page 178, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.13 (d,  $J = 6.5$  Hz: 6H); 1.42 (s: 6H); 3.98 (mt: 1H); 4.45 (broad s: 2H); 6.27 (broad d,  $J = 7.5$  Hz: 1H); 6.42 (broad s: 1H); 6.46 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.68 (broad d,  $J = 8$  Hz: 2H); 7.88 (broad d,  $J = 8$  Hz: 2H); 7.90 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 178, line 29, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.42 (s: 6H); from 1.45 to 1.65 (mt: 6H); 3.52 (broad t,  $J = 5$  Hz: 4H); 4.52 (broad s: 2H); 6.64 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 6.83 (broad s: 1H); 7.68 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.88 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.04 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 179, line 22, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.42 (s: 6H); 2.23 (s: 3H); 2.40 (broad t,  $J = 5$  Hz: 4H); 3.50 (broad t,  $J = 5$  Hz: 4H); 4.53 (broad s: 2H); 6.70 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 6.85 (broad s: 1H); 7.69 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.88 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.07 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 180, line 15, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.46 (s: 6H); 4.55 (broad s: 2H); 6.80 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 6.84 (broad s: 1H); 6.88 (broad t,  $J = 7.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.25 (dd,  $J = 8$  and  $7.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.67 (broad d,  $J = 8$  Hz: 2H); 7.69 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.88 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.01 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 9.01 (broad s: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 181, line 5, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.43 (s: 6H); 2.79 (broad t, J = 5 Hz: 4H); 3.41 (broad t, J = 5 Hz: 4H); 4.52 (broad s: 2H); 6.69 (broad d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H); 6.82 (broad s: 1H); 7.69 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 7.88 (d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 8.06 (d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 182, line 2, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.14 (t, J = 7 Hz: 3H); 1.44 (s: 6H); 3.26 (mt: 2H); 4.47 (broad s: 2H); 6.40 (broad t, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H); 6.45 (broad s: 1H); 6.50 (broad d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H); 7.69 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 7.89 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 7.92 (d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 182, line 31, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.39 (s: 6H); 4.47 (broad s: 2H); 4.48 (d, J = 6 Hz: 2H); 6.51 (broad s: 1H); 6.54 (broad d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H); 7.02 (broad t, J = 6 Hz: 1H); from 7.15 to 7.35 (mt: 5H); 7.68 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 7.89 (d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 7.92 (d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 183, line 24, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.39 (s: 6H); 3.72 (s: 3H); 4.39 (d, J = 5.5 Hz: 2H); 4.46 (broad s: 2H); 6.48 (broad s: 1H); 6.53 (broad d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H); 6.87 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 6.93 (t, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H); 7.25 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 7.68 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 7.89 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 7.92 (d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 184, line 15, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.43 (s: 6H); 4.46 (broad s: 2H); 5.86 (broad s: 2H); 6.46 (broad s: 1H); 6.53 (broad d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H); 7.69 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H); 7.84 (d, J = 5.5 Hz: 1H); 7.89 (broad d, J = 8.5 Hz: 2H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 185, line 5, with the following rewritten paragraph:



$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.44 (broad s: 6H); 2.11 (s: 3H); 4.65 (broad s: 2H); 7.15 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.68 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.89 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.14 (broad s: 1H); 8.27 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 10.49 (unresolved complex: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 185, line 24, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.43 (s: 6H); 1.49 (s: 9H); 4.63 (broad s: 2H); 7.08 (broad dd,  $J = 5.5$  and  $1.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.68 (broad d,  $J = 9$  Hz: 2H); 7.84 (broad s: 1H); 7.87 (broad d,  $J = 9$  Hz: 2H); 8.19 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 9.73 (broad s: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 186, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.45 (s: 6H); 3.27 (unresolved complex: 3H); 4.63 (broad s: 2H); from 6.95 to 7.10 (unresolved complex: 2H); 7.68 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.89 (broad d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 8.17 (unresolved complex: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 187, line 7, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.44 (s: 6H); 3.70 (s: 3H); 4.65 (broad s: 2H); 7.12 (dd,  $J = 5.5$  and  $2$  Hz: 1H); 7.69 (broad d,  $J = 9$  Hz: 2H); 7.89 (broad d,  $J = 9$  Hz: 2H); 7.90 (broad s: 1H); 8.23 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 10.18 (broad s: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 187, line 32, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$  d6,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.43 (s: 6H); 4.68 (broad s: 2H); 7.49 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.63 (broad s: 1H); 7.71 (dd,  $J = 9$  and  $3$  Hz: 1H); 7.97 (d,  $J = 3$  Hz: 1H); 8.05 (d,  $J = 9$  Hz: 1H); 8.38 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 188, line 22, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$   $d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.42 (s: 6H); 7.63 (dd,  $J = 8.5$  and  $2.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.90 (d,  $J = 2.5$  Hz: 1H); 8.02 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 1H); 8.75 (unresolved complex: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 189, line 8, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$   $d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.38 (s: 6H); 3.71 (s: 3H); 4.39 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 2H); 4.45 (broad s: 2H); 6.48 (broad s: 1H); 6.53 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 6.85 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 6.89 (t,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.24 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 2H); 7.69 (dd,  $J = 8.5$  and  $2.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.92 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.95 (d,  $J = 2.5$  Hz: 1H); 8.06 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 190, line 1, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$   $d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.14 (t,  $J = 7$  Hz: 3H); 1.43 (s: 6H); 3.27 (mt: 2H); 4.46 (broad s: 2H); 6.38 (broad t,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 6.45 (broad s: 1H); 6.51 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.70 (dd,  $J = 8.5$  and  $2.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.92 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.96 (d,  $J = 2.5$  Hz: 1H); 8.06 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 190, line 24, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$   $d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.43 (s: 6H); 2.77 (d,  $J = 5$  Hz: 3H); 4.48 (broad s: 2H); 6.40 (broad q,  $J = 5$  Hz: 1H); 6.46 (broad s: 1H); 6.54 (broad d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.70 (dd,  $J = 8.5$  and  $3$  Hz: 1H); 7.94 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.97 (d,  $J = 3$  Hz: 1H); 8.06 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 191, line 14, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$   $d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.43 (s: 6H); 4.46 (broad s: 2H); 5.86 (broad s: 2H); 6.46 (broad s: 1H); 6.54 (broad dd,  $J = 5.5$  and  $1.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.70 (dd,  $J = 8.5$  and  $2.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.86 (d,  $J = 5.5$  Hz: 1H); 7.97 (d,  $J = 2.5$  Hz: 1H); 8.06 (d,  $J = 8.5$  Hz: 1H).

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 192, line 4, with the following rewritten paragraph:

$^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (300 MHz,  $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}-d_6$ ,  $\delta$  in ppm): 1.45 (s: 6H); 4.67 (broad s: 2H); 7.72 (broad d,  $J = 8$  Hz: 2H); 7.83 (s: 2H); 7.89 (broad d,  $J = 8$  Hz: 2H).